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BEFORE THE
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

Amendment of Section 73.202(b)
Table of Allotments,
FM Broadcast Stations
(Anchorage, Alaska)

MM Docket No. _____
RM- _____

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To: Chief, Allocations Branch

PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

American Radio Brokers, Inc. ("ARB"), by its attorney, hereby requests that the Commission institute a rule making proceeding to substitute Channel 275C1 for Channel 275C2 at Anchorage, Alaska and to modify the license of Station KXDZ(FM), Anchorage, Alaska to specify operation on Channel 275C1. ARB is the proposed assignee of the license for Station KXDZ in a pending application (BALH-930216HW).

Attached hereto is an Engineering Statement which establishes that Channel 275C1 can be assigned to Anchorage, Alaska for use by Station KXDZ in compliance with all applicable channel separation requirements.

Station KXDZ is currently licensed on Channel 275A and has been authorized to upgrade to Channel 275C2 (MM Docket 88-29), Therefore, substitution of Channel 275C1 for Channel 275C2 and modification of Station KXDZ's license to specify operation on Channel 275C1 is allowed by the Commission's Rules and would serve

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the public interest by enabling Station KXDZ to upgrade and expand its service to Anchorage and the surrounding area.

If this Petition is granted and ARB's application for consent to acquire Station KXDZ is granted, ARB will promptly file an application for Class C1 facilities for Station KXDZ and will construct such facilities promptly after they are authorized.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Tillotson', with a large, stylized initial 'D'.

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ENGINEERING STATEMENT

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PETITION FOR RULEMAKING TO
AMEND SECTION 73.202 OF THE RULES
AND REGULATIONS OF THE FEDERAL
COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
TO ASSIGN FM CHANNEL 275 C1
FOR USE AT ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

AMERICAN RADIO BROKERS, INC.

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ENGINEERING STATEMENT

This Engineering Statement has been prepared on behalf of Alaska Black Broadcasting in support of a Petition for Rulemaking to revise §73.202 of the Commission's Rules to assign channel 275 C1 for use at Anchorage, Alaska.

As outlined in the attached channel studies, channel 275 C1 can be assigned for use at Anchorage in compliance with the Commission's applicable Rules and Regulations regarding the separation among FM allotments. This assignment will supersede the KXDZ 275 C2 allocation granted 24 January 1990.

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FM SEPARATION STUDY

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Job Title :KXDZ(FM) ANCHORAGE, AK

Separation Buffer 100 km

FCC DB Date : 12/29/92

Channel 275C1 (102.9 MHz)

Coordinates : 61-26-10 149-59-57

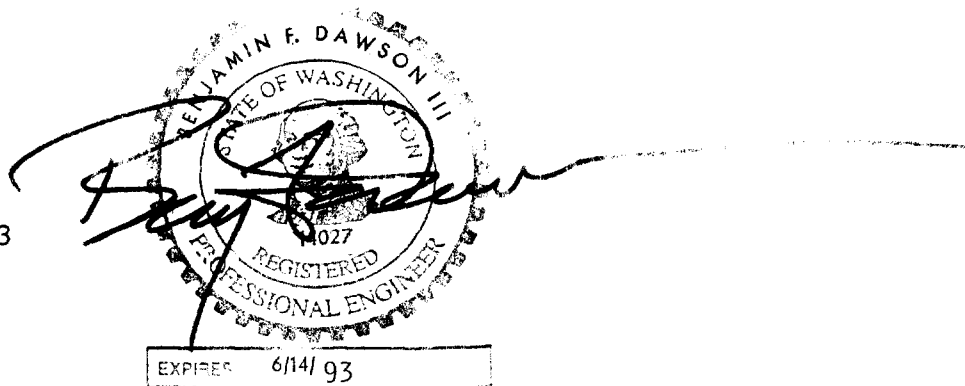
Call Status	City State	FCC File No.	Channel Freq.	ERP(kW) HAAT(m)	Latitude Longitude	Bearing deg-Tru	Dist. (km)	Req. (km)
K272DG	Seward		272D	.250	DA 60-07-32	167.8	149.29	0
CPM	AK	BMPFT921103TA	102.3	.0	149-25-50		.00	TRANS
Translator For KPENFM, Soldotna, AK								
ALC	Anchorage		275C2		61-09-58	162.8	31.49	224
ALC	AK		102.9	.0	149-49-34		-192.51	SHORT
Effective 1-24-90-Site Restricted-Rsvd for KXDZ per D88-29								
KXDZ	Anchorage		276A	3.00	61-09-56	162.8	31.55	133
LIC	AK	BLH871019KA	103.1	-47.0	149-49-34		-101.45	SHORT
*To Channel 275C2 per D88-29								
ALC	Seward		276A		60-06-15	168.2	151.50	133
ALC	AK		103.1	.0	149-26-32		18.50	CLEAR

** End of separation study for channel 275C1 **

CERTIFICATION

This Engineering Statement supporting a Petition for Rulemaking to revise the Table of Allotments to specify channel 275 C1 for use at Anchorage, Alaska, has been prepared on behalf of Alaska Black Broadcasting. All representations herein are true to the best of my knowledge. I am an experienced radio engineer Whose qualifications are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission. I am a partner in the firm of Hatfield & Dawson, Consulting Engineers, and am Registered as a Professional Engineer in the States of California and Washington.

March 1, 1993



Benjamin F. Dawson III, P.E.